UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
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NOTICE OF FEE INCREASE FOR FILING A CIVIL CASE

At its September 2012 session, the Judicial Conference of the United States approved a new \$50 general administrative fee for filing a civil action, suit, or proceeding in a district court. As a result, the fee for filing a civil case will increase from \$350 to \$400 effective May 1, 2013.

The administrative fee does not apply to persons granted *in forma pauperis* status under 28 U.S.C. § 1915. The fee also does not apply to the filing fee for a writ of habeas corpus, which will remain \$5.

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